

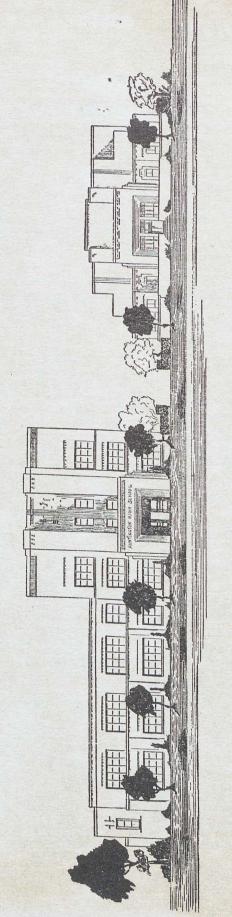
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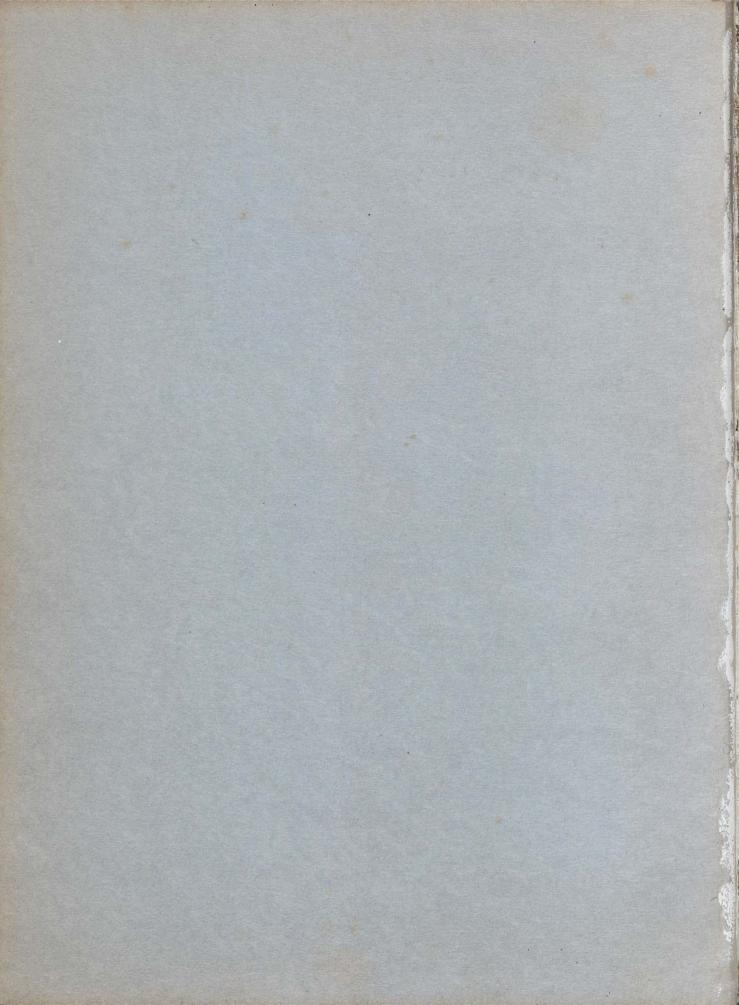
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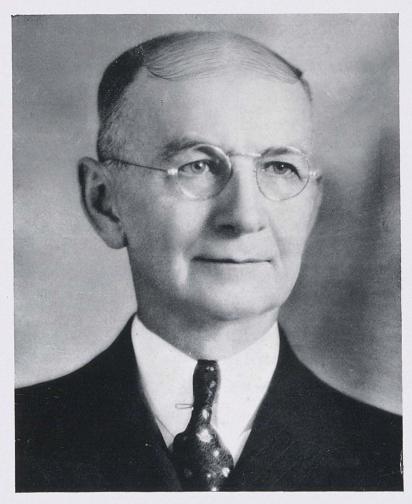
### THE SENIOR CLASS

Presents

### THE HUNTINGTONIAN



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### Acknowledgement

We, the members of the Senior Class of Nineteen Hundred Thirty-eight, wish to express our appreciation to all whose kind assistance has made this book possible.

May due thanks be extended to Mr. Palmer, our principal, for his kindly interest and encouragement; to Miss Wilson, our sponsor, to Mr. Picott for financial advice; to the faculty committee for revision, constructive criticism, and suggestions; and to the faithful students who conceived and executed the drawings and illustrative material used throughout these pages.

THE SENIOR CLASS

### Foreword

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In the pages of this book the class of 1938 attempts to portray the life we have lived in our high school during the four years of our stay within her walls. We have done our best to picture here our strivings, our hopes, our ambitions, and our achievements thus far. We have tried, too, to hold up a mirror to the activities of our school as a whole. We recognize our inability to catch fully the atmosphere of Huntington High School. But if our efforts in compiling this book bring back pleasant memories to the students who have preceded us, instil into those of the present a larger appreciation of their splendid opportunities, and inspire those of the future to build high the foundation we have laid, we shall be amply repaid for the hours of effort which this book represents.

It is our fond hope that all who peruse these pages may share with us the joy we had in bringing them into being, and read between the lines the great and fundamental values which constitute the spirit of our Alma Mater.

### The Principal's Message

Members of the Class of 1938:

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Fifteen classes have preceded you across the threshold of your Alma Mater's door. You go now to join a goodly company. As the years have passed and these hundreds of boys and girls have marched across the stage to receive their coveted diplomas, I have watched them go with mingled joy and sorrow. I have shared the joy that they have felt in achieving high school graduation. I have sorrowed to think that we should have to part. I knew well that they would have to face the stern realities of life in a larger sphere than high school affords. This joy and this sorrow I feel again as your graduation day approaches. Only in your case it is intensified.

You are ending your high school career in a year in which "the times are out of joint." Seldom in the history of mankind has the world been so filled with the bewildering complexities as those that pervade our civilization at the present time. War, unemployment, poverty, and crime challenge the world's progress and defy the forces of righteousness.

You have chosen for your watchword a significant motto. Yau say "Less Than Our Best Is Failure." If you take this motto seriously, you will meet successfully the challenge which the forces of evil have thrown down to you and to thousands of our youth who, like yourselves, are completing their high school work in the class of 1938.

Whether you go on to college, or whether you remain here in this community, align yourselves with the forces of righteousness and truth. Give of your best to whatever tasks may be committed to your hands. Thus will you justify the education which you have received and make your contribution to the solution of the grave problems which beset our world.



LUTRELLE FLEMING PALMER Principal

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### Dedication

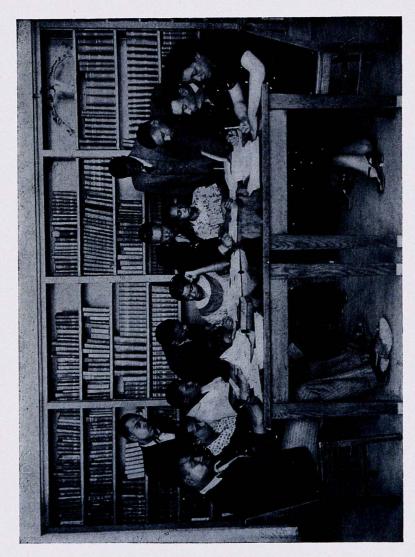


MISS ALMA JEANETTE WILSON

HEN, in our attempt to publish this book, the prospects were gloomy, and failure stared us in the face, there was one whose dynamic optimism inspired us with courage. Her wise counsel and unfailing enthusiasm gave us the determination to carry our project through to a successful conclusion.

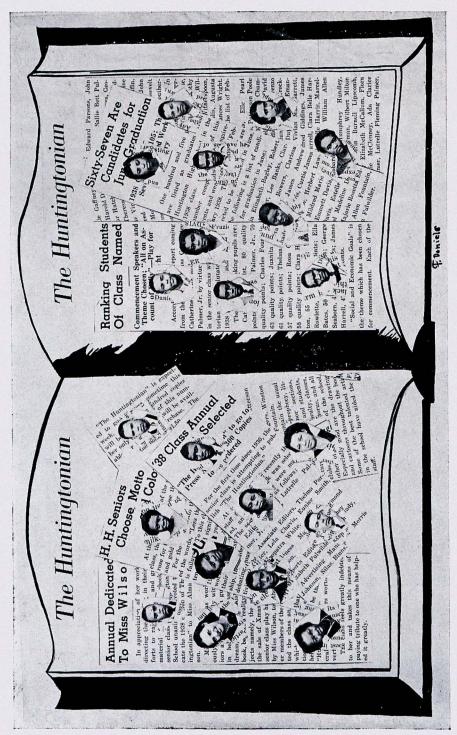
Therefore, we, the 1938 class of Huntington High School do dedicate this book to Miss Alma Jeanette Wilson, our class sponsor, our teacher, and our friend.

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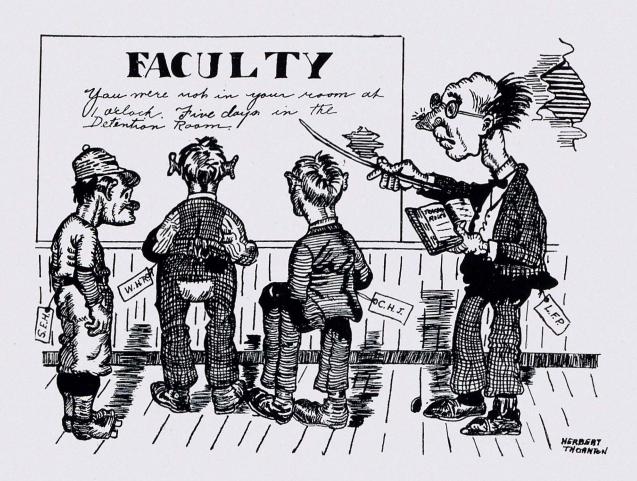
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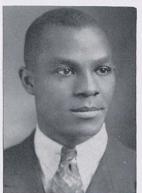
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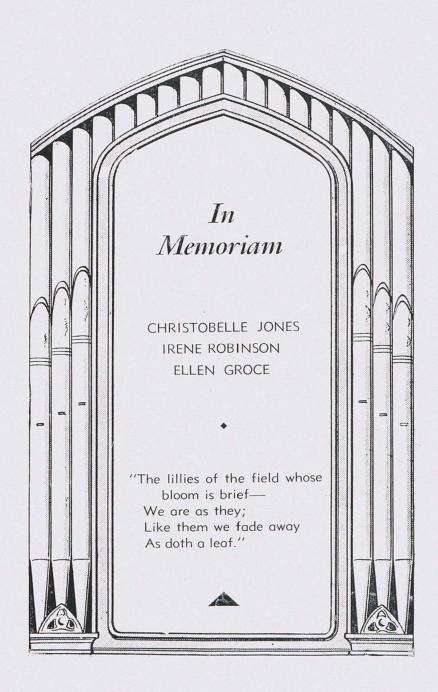
### In Memoriam



WILLIAM ALEXANDER THOMAS

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### Farewell

### By MOZELLE MOORE

Come now, my school mates in gay company,
'Tis time for our parting, since parting must be,
Adieu, then ye high school and teachers so dear,
We've started our journey, we go on without fear.

#### Farewell

The birds in the tree tops are singing farewell,
The prophets soothsaying, what do they foretell?
They tell of our classmates in various fields,
Or our dear Alma Mater and the harvest she yields.

#### Farewell

Principal and Comrades 'tis time now to part,

Though you be not with us, you're still in our hearts.

Our work here is finished. We are leaving you now,

We have stood by dear Huntington, as best we knew how.

#### Farewell

MOTTO: Less than our best is failure

CLASS COLORS: Blue and Gold

CLASS FLOWER: Pink Rose

#### JAMES EDWARD HARRELL, JR.

"Jimmie"—Treasurer, Student Council '36-'37; President, Senior Class '38; Hi-Y Club '36-'38.

#### GEORGE EMMETT DAVIS, JR.

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"Snooky"—Band '35-'38; Student Council '35; Secretary, Hi-Y Club '37; President, Home Room 35; Assistant Secretary, Senior Class '37-'38.

#### PATTERSON POOLE BROWN

"Pat"—Vice-President, Hi-Y Club '34-'38; Varsity Club '34; Circulation Manager, "The Huntingtonian" '38; Treasurer, Senior Class '37-38; Vice-President, Student Council '37-'38.













#### LEE BANKS

"Dummy"—Science Club '35-'36; Hi-Y Club '37-'38; President, Science Club '36.

#### ELLA PEARL BATES

Modern Priscilla Club '34 '37; Junior Red cross '35 '36.

#### SILAS BINNS

"Stink"—Band '35-'38; Treasurer, Junior Class '37; President, Camera Club '37; Varsity Club '37-'38; Advertising Manager, "The Huntingtonian" '38.

#### JAMES ANDREW CANADY

"Rough House"—Chorus '36; Social Hour Club '38; Sports Editor, "The Huntingtonian" '38; Motor Traffic Club '36; Football Team '34, '36; Varsity Club '35.

#### JAMES LORENZO CRADLE

"Buddy"—Band '34, '38; Varsity Club '35; Camera Club '36; Chorus '35-'36; Hi-Y Club '37-'38; Football Team '34, '37.

#### ROSA BELLE CHARITY

"Rose"—Treasurer of Home Room '34-'38; National Honor Society; Junior Red Cross Club '36; Modern Priscilia C'ub '37.

#### JUANITA THELMA DAVIS

"Nita"—Assistant Treasurer, Student Council '37.'38; National Honor Society; Girl Reserve '38; Debating Team '37; Chorus '37.'38.

#### GALVESTON DAVIS

"June"—Camera Club '37; Science Club '35-'38; Hi-Y Club '36.

#### WINIFRED MADELINE DRAKE

"Winnie"—Dramatic Club '37-'38; Girl Reserve '35; Library Club '34; Modern Priscilla Club '36; Chorus '34; "The Huntingtonian" Staff '38.

#### CURTIS J. CLARK

Band '31-'38; Varsity Club '36-'37; Hi-Y Club '38.

#### CHARLES ALLEN FOUNTAIN

"Charlie McCarthy"—Hi-Y Club '35, '38; Student Council '36; Subscription Manager, "The Huntingtonian" '38.

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"Yellar"—Cheer leader '37-'38; Library Club '34; Camera Club '35; Dramatic Club '37-'38.

#### LAURA MILDRED GIDDINGS

Modern Priscilla Club '35; Camera Club '36; Junior Red Cross '34; Social Hour Cub '37.

#### WILLNETTE VIVIAN GHEE

Modern Priscilla Club '38; Junior Red Cross '37; Chorus '34-'35; Girl Reserve '35-'36.

#### HAROLD DOUGLASS GRAY

Hi-Y Club '37-'38; Dramatic Club '36; Chorus '38; Science '35.

#### CLARA BELLE HARRINGTON

Mirror Staff '36; Modern Priscilla Club '36; "The Huntingtonian" Staff '38.

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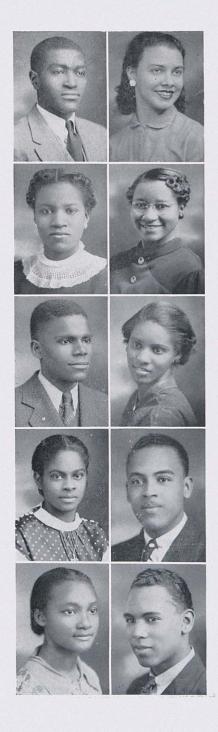
"Ace"—Hi-Y Club '35-'38; Chorus '34-'38; Student Courcil '38, Advertising Manager, "The Huntingtonian" '38.

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Camera Club '35; Chorus '35; Junior Red Cross '36-'37; Modern Priscilla Club '35.

#### RAYMOND THOMAS JOHNSON

"Skunk"—Business Manager, "The Huntingtonian" '38; Hi-Y Club '35-'38; Varsity Club '34; Treasurer, Home Room '34; Class Vice-President '35; Hi-Y '35, '37; Secretary, Hi-Y '35, '37.





#### THOMAS MELVIN LEE

"Boo"—Dramatic Club '36; Science Club '36; Hi-Y C:ub '37-'38.

#### THELMA VIRGINIA PORTER

"Teddy"—Secretary, Class '35-'36; Debating Team '37; Secretary, Student Council '37-'38; Associate Editor, "The Huntingtonian" '38; Library Club '35-'36; Girl Reserve '36; Dramatic Club '37-'38.

#### GLADYS ELIZABETH MANLEY

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"Nit Wit"—Editor-inChief, "The Huntingtonian" '38; National Honor Society; Hi-Y Club '36, '38; Band and Orchestra '35, '38; Treasurer, Student Council '37-'38; Magic Circle Club '35.

#### THEODORE LEE PATTERSON

"Pee Wee"—Dramatic Club '37; Band '34, '38; Basketball Team '38.

#### MARY ELIZABETH McCALLUM

"Sister"—Associate Editor, "The Huntingtonian" '38; Junior Red Cross, Assistant Secretary '35; President, Modern Priscilla Club '38.

#### ELSIE DORIS RATTLEY

"Snooky"—Chorus '35-'36; Social Hour Club '37; Girl Reserve '35; Library Club '36; Junior Red Cross '37.

#### BEULAH RUTH RATTLEY

"Puss"—Girl Reserve '34, '37; Dramatic Club '38; Chorus '36-'37.

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Chorus '35-'38; Girls' Glee Club '36-'37; Games Club '37.

#### AUBURN LAW

Chorus '37-'38; Dramatic Club '36; Hi-Y Club '37, '38; Magic Circle '35.

#### SAMUEL ALEXANDER RUFFIN

"St. Paul"—Chorus '38; President, Varsity Club '38; Football Team '38; Basketball Team '37-'38.

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"Kid"—Camera Club '33-'34; Dramatic Club '36, '38; Chorus '33-'36; "The Huntingtonian" Staff '38.

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Student Council '36; Varsity Club '37-'38; Science Club '35; Camera Club '36.

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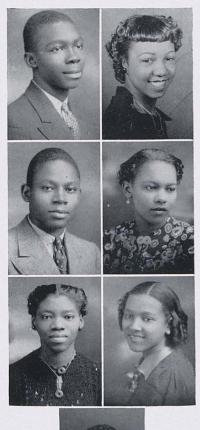
Junior Red Cross '35; Chorus '35-'38; Library Club '35; Girl Reserve '35-'36.

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"Ducky"—Girl Reserve '34; Modern Priscilla Club '37-'38.

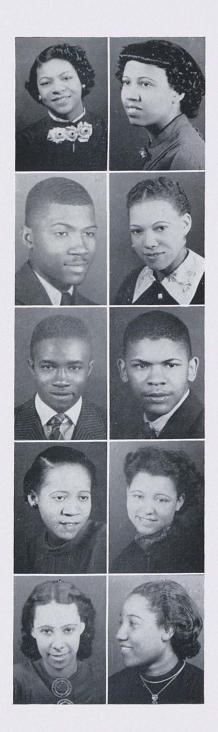
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"Nee"—President, Chorus '38; President, Band '37-'38; President, Music Appreciation Club '37-'38; Junior Red Cross '35.





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Dramatic Club '37; Chorus '34-'35; Girl Reserve '34-'25; Junior Red Cross '37-'38; Secretary, Home Room '38.

#### CATHERINE DOLORES ARTIS

"Cat"- Chorus '34-'38; Student Council '36; National Honor Society; Girl Reserve '38.

#### CLARENCE ELSWORTH BOWERS

"The Huntingtonian" Staff '38; Science Club '38; Magic Circle '35; Hi-Y C.ub '35; Games Club '37.

#### CLARISSA GENEVA BOYD

"Rissa"—Modern Priscilla Club '37-'38; Camera Club '36; Girl Reserve '35.

#### RANDALL DREW

"Ranny"--Varsity Club '36-'38; Camera Club '35; Football Team '37; Chorus '38.

#### HERBERT LAWRENCE COOKE

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#### LELA CHAVIS

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#### ELIZABETH EDMONIA FULWILDER

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"Viv"—Library Club '37; Girl Reserve '36.

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MARCELLUS HARRIS
"Cellus"—Hi-Y Club '36-'38; Varsity Club '35.

THERESA PERNESE HOLLOMAN

Chorus '37-'38; Junior Red Cross '38; Social Hour Club
'38; Girl Reserve '37-'38.

ERNESTINE HOLLOMAN
"Stene"—Library Club, Secretary '38; Student Council
'37-'35; Girl Reserve '34-'35; Junior Red Cross '36.

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Subscription Manager, "The Huntingtonian" '38.

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Chorus '34-'38; Dramatic Club '37; Camera Club '35;
Girl Reserve '34, '36.

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"Ciel"—Modern Priscilla '36-'38; Camera Club '35.



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Modern Priscilla Club '35; Library Club '36; Junior Red Cross '37-'38.

#### WILBERT MILTON JONES

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"Sister"—Camera Club '35-'36; Junior Red Cross '37: Dramatic Club '37-'38; Library Club '35.

#### FLORA ANNIE McCLENNEY

#### DOROTHY MAE MAGETTE

"Dot"- Library Club '37-'38; Girl Reserve '34-'35; Modern Priscilla Club '36.

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"Mo"—Modern Priscilla C'ub '35; Pen and Brush '35; Library Assistant '36-'38; Assistant Secretary, Girl Reserve '38; "The Huntingtonian" Staff '38.

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#### ADA CLARICE PALMER

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Chorus '35; Varsity Club '35-'37; Camera Club '36.

#### ELOISE VICTORIA PARSONS

"Sister"—Junior Red Cross '37.

#### JOHN ARCHIE PATTERSON

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#### MYETTA EARLINE ROOKS

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#### THELMA RICKS

"Ricky"—Girl Reserve '34-'35; Library Cub '37; "The Huntingtonian" Staff '38.

#### CARLISER MAJORIE SAUNDERS

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#### JOHN RICHARD SCOTT

Football Team '38; Varsity Club '37; Magic Circle '35; Music Appreciation '37.

'ANNIE ROBERTA SOUTHERLAND "Nooney"—Dramatic Club '37-'38.





#### CLEOPATRA SWANN

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#### DOROTHY ORLEAN TRUSTY

"Dot"—Camera Club '34; Vice-President, Girl Reserve '35; President Tri-Hi-Y Club '38.

#### LILLIAN FLORENCE WASHINGTON

"Grinning Ginny"—Girl Reserve '36; Dramatic Club '35-'37; Student Council Representative '37-'38.

#### CLEOPATRA WHITE

"Cleo"—Chorus '36-'38; Girl Reserve '35-'36; Associate Editor, "The Huntingtonian" '38.

#### NELDON HERTRUELAR WHITE

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LILLIE VIRGINIA WHITE Junior Red Cross '35-'38.

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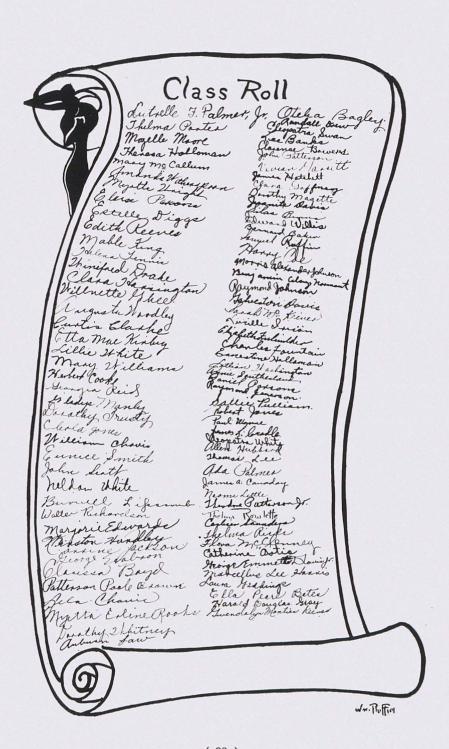
"Red Willis"-Science Club '37-'38; Hi-Y Club '36.

#### RUTH ELLA TERRELL

Girl Reserve '35-'36; Modern Priscilla '36-'38.

#### CARLTON KING

Science Club '35; Chorus '35-'38; Hi-Y Club '35; Band '37-'38.





### CLASS HISTORY

### Class History

S WE, the graduating class of 1938, look back upon our four years spent at dear old Huntington we recall many memories both pleasant and interesting. In February 1934 we entered high school life. Our hearts were filled with a mixture of anxiety, and fear. After an encouraging lecture by our principal, Mr. Palmer much of our fear was dispelled. We were divided into two sections under the supervision of Miss Pannell and Mrs. Drake. We spent much of our time trying to get acquainted with our new teachers and fellow students, while between times we were forever arriving at the right places, but at the wrong time. In April of 1935 our school became State Champions of the Debating League. The Chorus and Glee Club won first place in the Music Festival at Virginia State College. These accomplishments made us feel very proud of the fact that although we were only freshmen, we were yet a part of our beloved Huntington and might aspire to take an active part in such outstanding events.

We returned to school as sophomores in September. Our hearts were gladdened when we saw so many freshmen. How proud we were to be no longer the newest and greenest group in the school. Many of our members joined the various school activities.

Silas Binns, Curtis Clarke, Lutrelle Palmer, James Cradle, and Landis Gaffney became members of the Junior Band. Naomi Little, Catherine Artis, and Elsie Rattley were admitted to the chorus.

In September 1936, we entered our new school building as Juniors. Here we had to make adjustments to our new surroundings and although there was much to see and everything seemed quite strange, the adjustments were soon made and our school work was continued without interruption. The new Recreation Building was also offered to the student body as an assembly hall and gymnasium. High school geography and journalism were added to our curricula. A large number of our classmates eagerly enrolled in these

new classes. The most thrilling football game of the season was played Thanksgiving Day on Armstrong Field at Hampton Institute, when Huntington battled with Phenix to a 6-6 tie. John Patterson and George Davis were our class heroes. The Boys' Cooking Class of which John Patterson, David Cradle, and James Cradle were members, was entertained at St. Patrick's Day Luncheon by the Foods III Class. In May the annual Music Week was inaugurated. The annual Huntington and Phenix Amateur Night was observed by many enthusiastic students and friends. Naomi Little and Cleopatra Swann were among the Huntington representatives. Vocational Guidance week was observed by the presentation of a play "He Got the Job." Theodore Patterson and Winifred Drake interpreted the major roles in the play.

Our senior year was one of great achievements. More new courses made the school program more interesting. Among the new offerings were general business, senior science, vocational guidance and physical education. These courses were undertaken by a large number of our class. Five of our classmates were inducted in the National Honor Society: Charles Fountain, Juanita Davis, Lutrelle Palmer, Rosa Charity and Catherine Artis. Huntington lost its chance at football championship by a 6-0 defeat by Peabody High of Petersburg. The Hi-Y Club sponsored a Huntington-Phenix Amateur and first prize was awarded the "Three Little Words," a singing team of the school composed of Naomi Little, our class songbird, Cornell Obie, and Ethel Little. The largest mid-year graduating class completed its work on January thirty-first, with a membership of 38. On March 5, Huntington was host to the Eastern High School Basketball Tournament. John Patterson, Theodore Patterson, and Samuel Ruffin were our class basketeers. Huntington was awarded the trophy as runners-up in the tournament. Now as our reminiscence draws near a close we find that many of our hopes and dreams have at last come true.



Dorothy Trusty, Thelma Porter, Lutrelle Palmer, Salutatorian; Catherine Artis, Valedictorian; Patterson Brown

The class of 1938 has chosen for the theme of its Commencement Exercises, "Desirable Social-Economic Goals for America." Five of these goals will be discussed as follows:

Physical Security	_Lutrelle Palmer, Jr.
Suitable Occupations	Dorothy Trusty
Participation in An Evolving Culture	Thelma Porter
Economic Security	Patterson Brown
Equality of Opportunity	Catherine Artis

### February Graduating Class

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Ella Pearl Bates
Silas Binns
Patterson Poole Brown
Lillian Katherine Chamberlain
Rosa Belle Charity
David Nathaniel Cradle
James Lorenzo Cradle
Christine Elizabeth Crocker
Galveston Davis
Landis Emanuel Gaffney
Vivian Mae Garrett
Laura Mildred Giddings

James Edward Harrell, Jr.
Clara Belle Harrington
Ida Belle Harris
Marcellus Lee Harris
William Allen Hubbard
Winston Humphrey Hundley
Dora Lee Hyman
Wilbert Milton Jones
Alvin Burrell Lipscomb
Mary Elizabeth McCallum
Flora Annie McClenney
Ada Clarice Palmer
Lutrelle Fleming Palmer, Jr.

Theodore Lee Patterson, Jr.
Thelma Virginia Porter
Beulah Ruth Rattley
Elsie Doris Rattley
Gwendolyn Montier Reeves
Thelma Delores Rowlette
Eunice Evelyn Smith
Cleopatra Swann
Ruth Ella Terrell
Cleopatra White
Paul Lawrence Wynne
Samuel Junius Yates



### June Graduating Class

Otelia Elizabeth Bagley Robert Bernard Baker Lee Banks Clarence Elsworth Bowers Clarissa Geneva Boyd James Andrew Canaday Lela Chavis William David Chavis Curtis J. Clarke Harry Coe Herbert Lawrence Cooke Mildred Marie Copeland George Emmett Davis, Jr. Juanita Thelma Davis Estelle Daisy Diggs Winifred Madeline Drake Randall Drew Marjorie Rosetta Edwards Charles Allen Fountain Elizabeth Edmonia Fulwilder Clara Mattie Gaffney Willnette Vivian Ghee Harold Douglass Gray

James Arthur Hatchett Ernestine Holloman Theresa Pernese Holloman Lucille Virginia Irison Corrine Mildred Jackson Raymond Jenerson Morris Alexander Johnson Raymond Thomas Johnson Cleola Jones Robert Jones Mable Evelyn King Etta Mae Kirby Auburn Law Thomas Melvin Lee Naomi Little Sarah Jemima McKeiver Dorothy Mae Magette Gladys Elizabeth Manley Mozelle Elois Moore Alonzo Benjamin Normant Eloise Victoria Parsons Daniel Edward Parsons John Archie Patterson

Sallie Bett Pulliam Edith Elizabeth Reaves Georgie Mamie Reid Walter Richardson Thelma Ricks Myetta Erline Rooks Samuel Alexander Ruffiin Carliser Marjorie Saunders George Roosevelt Seaborn John Richard Scott Annie Roberta Southerland Alice Helena Tennis Dorothy Orlean Trusty Lillian Florence Washington Lillie Virginia White Neldon Hertruelar White Dorothy Mae Whitney Mary Harriette Williams Edward Lorenzo Willis Amanda Mae Witherspoon Augusta Woodley Myrtle Frances Wright

### Class Champions

Most Popular	George Davis
Best Dressed	Mary Williams
Class Clown	Theodore Patterson
Best Athlete	John Patterson
Most Dependable	
Most Likely to Succeed_	James Harrell
Biggest Filibusterers— Randall	Drew, Charles Fountain
Best Looking	Neldon White
Most Sophisticated	Elizabeth Fulwilder
Biggest Prevaricator	James Cradle
Best Creative Writer	Lillie White
Truest Lover	Curtis Clarke
Most Artistic	Clarence Bowers
Cutest	Beulah Rattley

Most Disagreeable	Theresa Holloman
Biggest Baby	_Carliser Saunders
JolliestAnnie Southerland,	, Mildred Copeland
Laziest	Allen Hubbard
Most Independent	_Patterson Brown
Tallest	Laura Giddings
Fattest	Mary McCullum
Shortest	_Winston Hundley
Quietest	Cleola Jones
Most Dignified	Cleopatra White
Biggest Eater	George Davis
Most Studious	Catherine Artis
Most Conceited	Ruth Terrell
Class Songster	Cleopatra Swan



### We Wonder Why

Raymond Jenerson carries an empty pipe in his mouth?

Cleola Jones walks around with a dazed look in her eyes?

Juanita Davis is the baby of the class?

Alonzo Normant never wears a hat?

Ada Palmer is always late?

James Cradle never thinks he is wrong?

Mildred Copeland never gives her tongue a vacation?

Willnette Ghee is so very (skinny)?

Gwendolyn Reeves tries to look like a movie star?

Thelma Rowlette is never sophisticated?

Theodore Patterson is so crazy?

James Cradle tries to blow like Louis Armstrong?

Mozelle Moore is always eating in class?

Rosa Charity is so very quiet?

Randall Drew is such a pest?

Mabel King is the cutie of the class?

Clara Harrington never smiles?

Allen Hubbard does not study?

Eloise Parsons keeps up with the old fashions?

Augusta Woodley is a book worm?

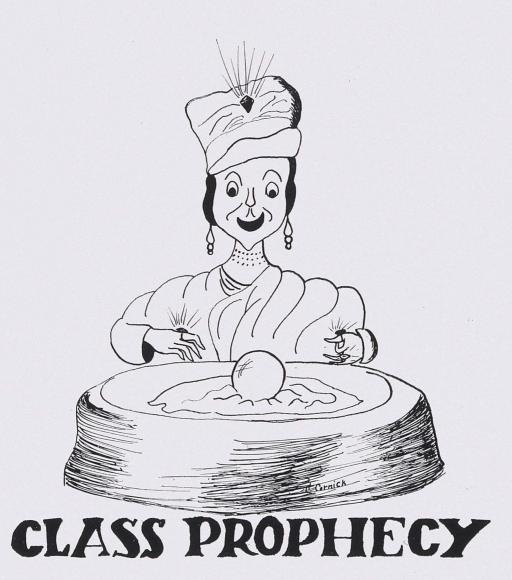
Patterson Brown is such an ardent lover?

Corrine Jackson always looks in the mirror?

Paul Wynne thinks he will be a future Paul Robeson?

George Davis thinks he will be a future business man?

Clara Gaffney calls herself "Inkie"?



### Prophecy

### THE HUNTINGTON MIRROR

JUNE 10, 1947

ALUMNI SECTION

### Clarence Bowers Designs Paris Building

New York City—Mr. Clarence Bowers has been given a position as draftsman for one of the new skyscrapers which is to be built in Paris. Mr. Bowers will leave for France early next month.

### Mortician Celebrates Fifth Anniversary

Washington, D. C.—Mr. Morris Johnson, well known undertaker celebrates his fifth anniversary. A reception which is being arranged by his wife, the former Rosa Charity will close the celebration on June 13th.

### Crooner Scores in King's Latest Song Hit

New York—"I Love My David" a brand new song on Broadway by Mable King has been such a big success that James Hatchett, famous radio singer, has asked that she give him permission to change the name "David" to "Winifred" so that he may use the song as the theme song in his new picture "Little Winifred Drake."

### Harrell President Of N. A. A. Will Speak At Meeting In Little Rock

Little Rock—Plans have been completed for the entertainment of Mr. James Harrell, President of the National Agricultural Association.

This information was released by David Cradle, who is president of the local association.

### Drew To Fight Schmeling II At Yankee Stadium

New York—Randall Drew tunes upon Honest Schmeling II on the night of June 21st at Yankee Stadium. Honest Schmeling II is given no chance whatever to upset the heavyweight champ.

The magic of the Drew knockout wallop plus the clean style of milling displayed by the Negro heavyweight king is one of boxing's chief recommendations at the present time.

#### Rev. Lee Banks and Choir Begin Revival At First Church

Newport News, Va.—Rev. Lee Banks, well known evangelist, will hold revival at the First Baptist Church, during the week of June 13th. He will be accompanied by his choir of one hundred voices under the direction of Miss Estelle Diggs.

### G. E. Davis Hospital Launches Annual Drive

Richmond, Va.—The George E. Davis Hospital established four years ago by Dr. George "Bubba" Davis, will make its second annual appeal for funds to keep that useful and much needed institution functioning.

This hospital is managed entirely by Negroes. Those on the funds committee are as follows: Nurses, Lucille Irison, Elizabeth Fulwilder, Lela Chavis; Doctors Marcellus Harris and Wilbert Jones.

### "Buddy" Cradle's Swing Orchestra Featured at Cotton Club

New York—A floor show is to be staged at the Cotton Club in New York on June 15th. James "Buddy" Cradle's swing orchestra will furnish the music. Those appearing in the floor show are: Cleopatra Swann, Neldon White, Thelma Porter, Silas Binns, Curtis Clark, Helen Tennis, Ella Bates, Naomi Little and Auburn Law.

#### Coaches Patterson and Ruffin To Entertain Teams at State Meet

Newport News, Va.—John Patterson, former Huntington High School basketball star who is now coach at Dunbar High School will return to the annual basketball meet which is to be held here next month. Other well known coaches who will attend the meet are Samuel Ruffin of Booker T. Washington High School, Theodore Patterson of Phenix High School, James Canaday of Armstrong High School and our own George Seabron of Huntington High School.

### Prophecy

### THE HUNTINGTON MIRROR

JUNE 10, 1947

**ALUMNI SECTION** 

### Wedding Follows Elopement of Newport News Couple

Bridgetown, Conn.—The elopement to Bridgeport, Conn., on Friday of Miss Cleola Jones and Melvin Lee, of Newport News, wealthy banker, was revealed today.

They were married by the justice of the

peace.

It is the first marriage for Miss Jones and the fifth for Mr. Lee.

### "Country Cruiser" Makes Trip Around United States

The Country Cruiser, a bus taking sightseers around the United States, arrived in Newport News yesterday. The following people are leaving on the bus: Burnell Lipscomb, Ada Palmer, Beulah Rattley, Gwendolyn Reeves, Ruth Terrell, Marcellus Harris, Edward Willis, Bernard Baker, Clarissa Boyd, and Charles Fountain.

### Dorothy Whitney Fills Vacancy on Institute Library Staff

Newport News, Va.—Miss Dorothy Whitney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whitney will fill the position as librarian at Hampton Institute early in the fall.

### Society Belle Jilts Councilman

Trenton, N. J.—Relatives and friends of Miss Eunice Smith and Robert Jones gathered Sunday at R. C. Church of the Precious Blood for the wedding of Miss Smith and Mr. Jones. After 15 or 20 minutes, when neither of the principals appeared, a friend of the couple announced to those assembled that there would be no wedding. No explanations were given.

Yesterday Jones said: "Miss Smith's mother called me on the telephone at 11 A.M., four hours before the time for the ceremony and told me that Eunice had changed her mind." At Miss Smith's home her parents refused to discuss the questions but merely stated that "Miss

Smith was ill."

### Teasing Earns Normant 7-Year Jail Sentence

Newport News, Va.—Alonzo Normant, 26, who recently pleaded guilty to teasing a policeman yesterday, was sentenced to Sing Sing Prison for three and one half to seven years. He was also fined \$1,000 or given one day in prison for each unpaid dollar of the fine.

Mr. Galveston Davis is confined to his home with rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel (Mary McCullum) Parsons were in York County recently to visit Mr. Parson's sister, Miss Eloise Parsons, who is suffering with her eyes.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Allen (Theresa Holloman) Hubbard on the birth of a nine pound baby boy born Saturday.

### Local Society

Miss Dora Hyman has returned to the city after visiting relatives and friends in Pittsburg, Pa.

The five year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James (Winifred Drake) Hatchett was given a surprise birthday party Tuesday.

Mrs. Willnette Hill and twin sons are spending some time with relatives in Brookville.

Mrs. Thelma Rowlette Ford and two children, Sylvia and Cynthia, are the guests of an old classmate, Miss Majorie Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Atkins of Aberdeen Gardens spent a portion of their honeymoon in this city as guests of friends. Mrs. Atkins is the former Miss Thelma Ricks of this city.





### Class Will

WE, the members of the Senior Class of of Huntington High School, being sound in mind and body, in spite of Mr. Miller, in our last will and testament signed under the seal of sorrow and woes, do hereby bestow the becoming necessities which we must get rid of on our associates who are still under the ban of "readin," "ritin" and "rithmetic."

To Professor Palmer an ideal group of students

who are never tardy or absent,

To Miss Wilson another set of appreciative Seniors.

To Miss Pannell a class of perfect English students.

To Mrs. Wilson a group of students with perfect manners

To Miss Gould a bundle of smiles.

To Mr. Robinson a complete medicine chest with many mixtures for aches and pains.

Willnette Ghee's giggle to Louise Harrington. Shorty Hundley's dwarf-like image to "Billy"

Britt.

Mable King unwillingly leaves "Snooky" Cradle to "Clem" Stephenson.

"June" Palmer gives 99 per cent of his love to Doris Siler and 1 per cent to "Viv" Bailey. Charles Fountain's success as a filibusterer to "Tom" Harmon.

Clara Harrington's and Gladys Manley's dig-

nity and quietness to Estena Warren.

James Hatchett's drapes to James Hargraves. John Patterson's ability to play in a football game more than two minutes to Percy Boone.

Mary McCallum and Flora McClenney proclaim Gladys Howell sole heir of 500 pounds of their fat. "Bubba" Davis' money-getting ability and position as president of the Student Council to Luther Tucker.

Paul Wynne, with much grief, wishes upon Homer Browne a part of his fifteen years in high

school.

Naomi Little's ability to carry a tune to Ruth Bouldin.

Carliser Saunder's attempt to be a class baby

to Corine Drew. Otelia Bagley with much after thought leaves one half of her talking ability to Marion Bowers

and the other half to Marie Binns. "Lizzie" Fulwilder's ability to walk to Lennie

Smith. Eunice Smith's extreme slimness to Pattie Har-

Thelma Rowlette's sallyness and coiffure to

Mary Monterio. Laura Giddings grants Rosa Mines six feet of

her height. Etta Kirby's slow talk to Gracie Best. Auburn Laws meekness to "Webb" Everett.

Cleola Jones' and Lillie White's quiet and undisturbing dispositions to La Verne Yeldell.

Corrine Jackson, with no regrets, leaves Susie Bishop her attempt to be Huntington's vamp.

John Scott leaves his unsurpassed title of "School Hillbilly" to Charlie Banks.

"Cleo" Swann's title of Ethel Waters to Cornell

Harry Coe's and "Red" Willis' troublesome dispositions to Robert Simpson.

Harold Gray's vocabulary to Paul Holloman. "Burn" Lipscomb's billiard corner to Riddick

"Buddy" Cradle and "Sam" Yates will their positions in the Blue Devils' Orchestra to "Tom-

my" Williams and Charles Wiggins.
"Jimmie" Harrell's and Morris Harrell's and Morris Johnson's po-

liteness to Eddie West and Earl Ford.

Mozelle Moore's tapping shoes to Marie Suber. "Cat" Artis' studiousness to Louise Crump. Curtis Clark's reputation as a true lover to Henry Wiggins.

Clarence Bower's artistic ability to George Gil-

liam. "Raney" Drew's boxing career to Harold

Lee Banks "ponies" to the next Senior Science Class

Ella Bates' pleasant disposition to Thelma Browne.

Silas Binns' trombone to Carlton King.

"Sam" Ruffin's key to the basketball court to Haywood Byrd.

Clarissa Boyd's and Ruth Terrell's extra four years in high school to Susie Thaxton.
"Pat" Browne's English troubles to Mildred

Birchette.

Allen Hubbard's and James Canady's drowsiness to Alphonso Alexander.

Galveston Davis' initiative to "Doug" Wat-"Winnie" Drakes' dramatic ability to Master

Samuel Norman. Clara Gaffney's alto horn to the school to be

Mary Williams' and Lucille Irison's modern

styles to Julia Mayer.

Raymond Johnson's, Alonzo Normant's and "Pee Wee" Patterson's ability to annoy teachers to Winston Diggs.

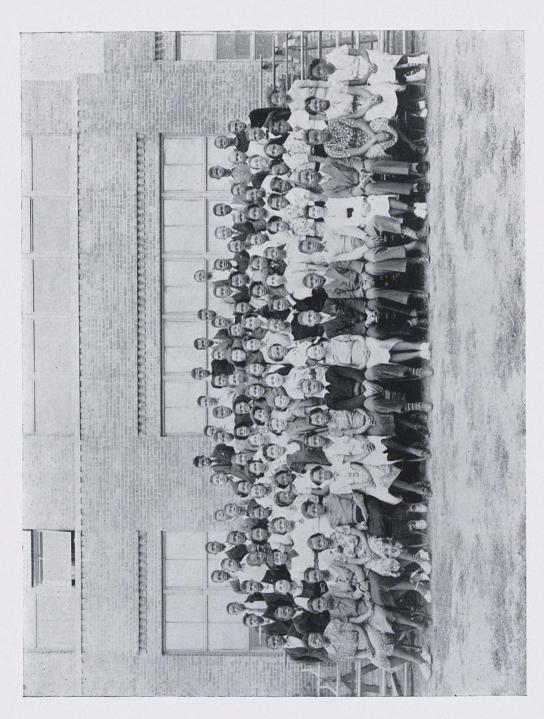
Bernard Baker's and Marcellus Harris' imitation of Paul Robeson to Carlton King.

Lela Chavis' looking glass to Burnette Edwards. Dora Hyman's and Marjorie Edward's "don't care" attitudes to Willie Mitchell. Landis Gaffney's aged bicycle to the Smith-

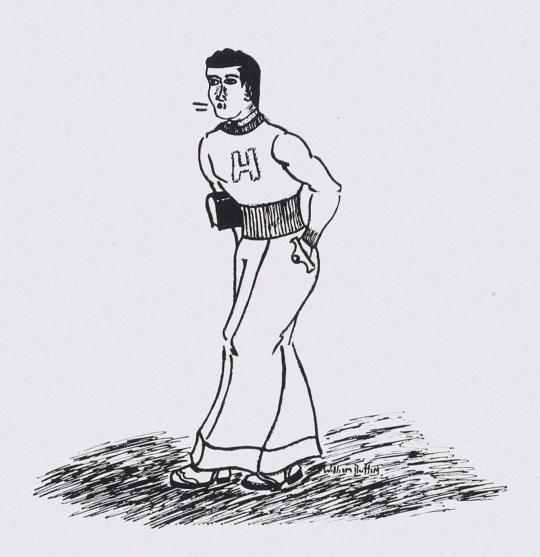
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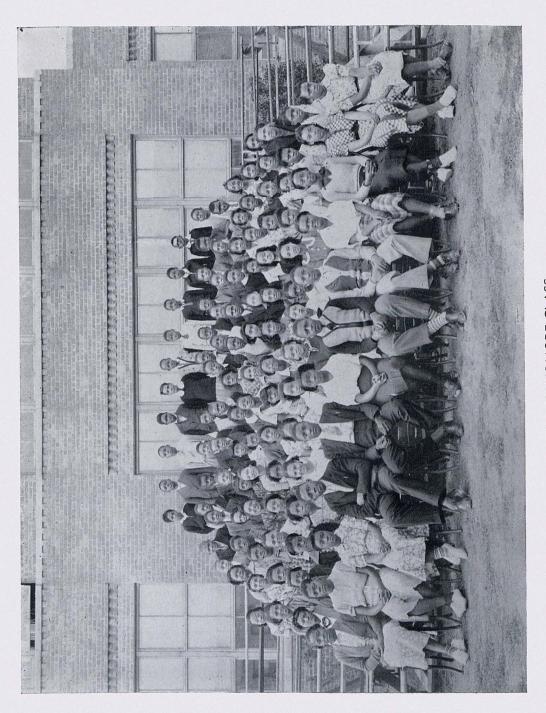
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JUNIOR CLASS



### SOPHOMORES



THE SOPHOMORE CLASS



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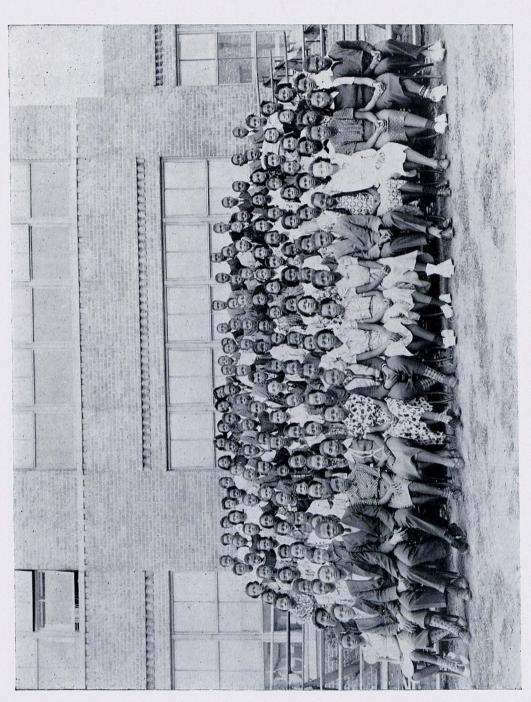
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MR. CHARLES JONES MISS L. K. FRAZIER MISS V. E. JOYNER

When school opened in the Fall of '37, a very enthusiastic class of freshmen entered Huntington High School. Before many weeks had passed, the group was organized and a definite program of work was begun. The first effort of the class was in the form of an assembly program which consisted of a playlet entitled "The First Thanksgiving" and a pageant called "The Spirit of America." At the same time, the Freshman class made up a number of baskets of food which were sent to the children at the Weaver Orphan Home.

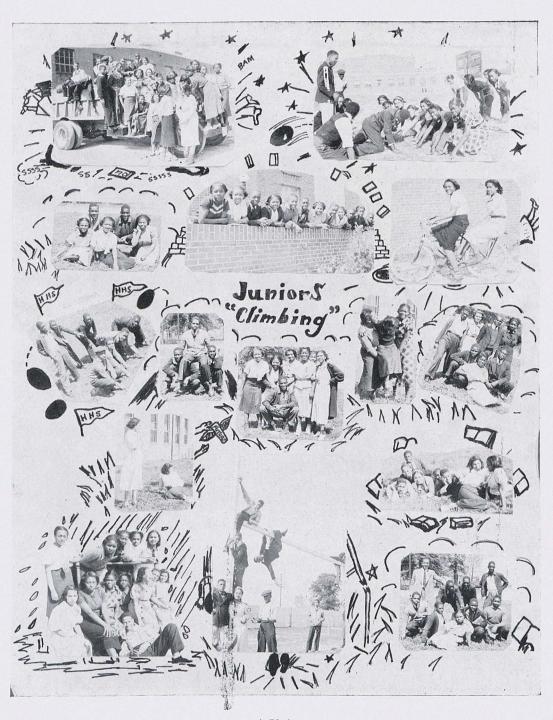


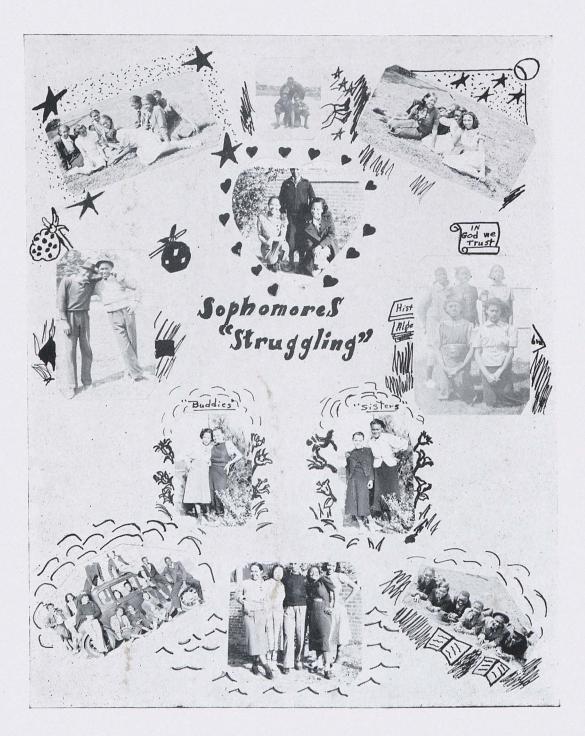
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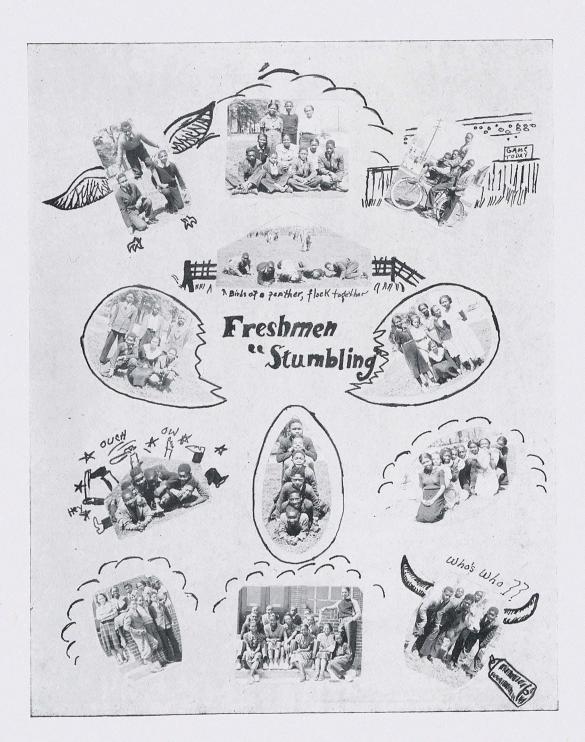


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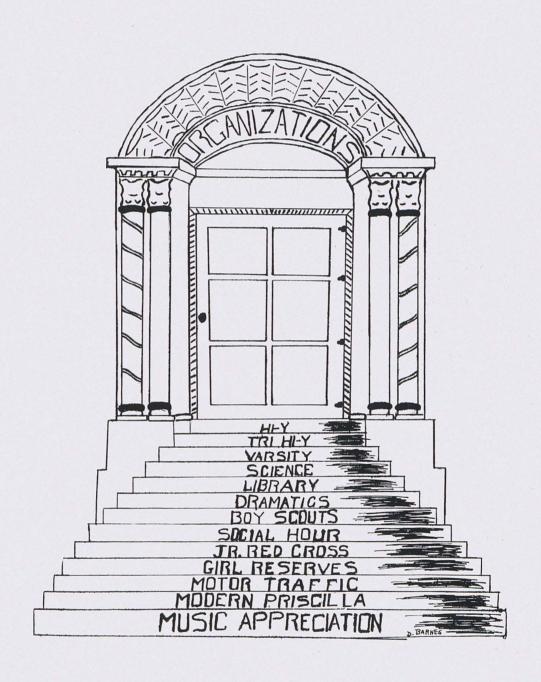


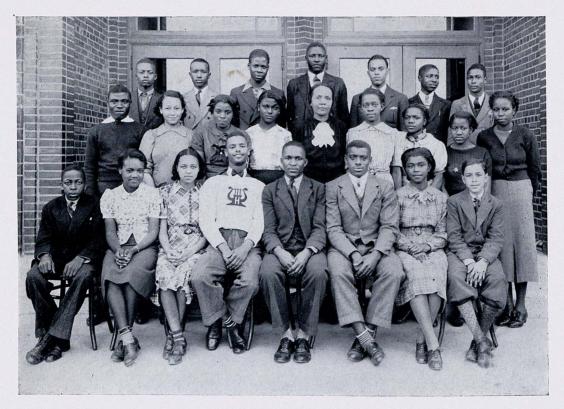












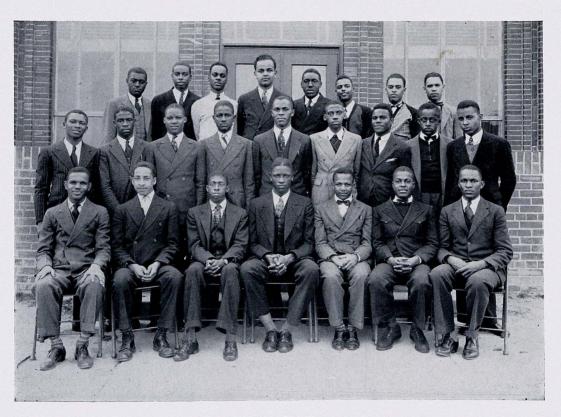
#### THE STUDENT COUNCIL

#### **OFFICERS**

GEORGE DAVISPresident	GLADYS MANLEYAss't. Secretary	
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THELMA PORTERSecretary	JUANITA DAVISAss't. Treasurer	
MRS. E. M. DRAKE, Sponsor		

The Student Council acts as a connecting link between the student body and the Faculty. This organization strives to preserve the traditions of the school and, in addition, attempts to direct student opinion along the most desirable lines.

Under the supervision of its sponsor the Council has been a great asset to the school. It has organized a patrol squad which has done much toward maintaining proper conduct throughout the school.



#### HI-Y CLUB

#### **OFFICERS**

ROBERT PURVIS	President	WINS'
JAMES HARGRAVES	Vice-President	THOM
RICHARD EDWARDS	Secretary	MR. V

WINSTON DIGGSAss't	Secretary
THOMAS HARMON	Treasurer
MR. WESLEY RANEY	Sponsor

The Hi-Y Club, through its efforts, aims to extend throughout the high school and the community high standards of Christian character. The slogan of the club is "Clean Speech, Clean Sports, Clean Living, Clean Scholarship, and Good Character."

Each year the club sends a large delegation to St. Paul School at Lawrenceville, Virginia to attend the Older Boys' and Girls' Conference. The Hi-Y Club also sends representatives to the King's Mountain Conference at King's Mountain, North Carolina, and to the International Hi-Y Meeting at Berea, Kentucky.

This organization contributes to the needs of the community by giving food to the needy at Thanksgiving and at Christmas.



#### GIRL RESERVE CLUB

### OFFICERS

CATHERINE ARTIS\_\_\_\_\_President THERESA HOLLOMAN\_\_\_Secretary LELA CHAVIS\_\_\_\_\_Vice-President MOZELLE MOORE\_\_\_Ass't. Secretary

#### **SPONSORS**

#### MISS NAOMI BEDGOOD

#### MISS LUCILLE SHIRLEY

The Girl Reserve Club aims toward an all-round development of womanhood by means of the proper spiritual, mental, and physical training. To accomplish this the group meets weekly to discuss, under the careful guidance of the sponsors, problems of vital importance to the members. Some of the topics which were especially interesting and helpful to the girls were: "How To Live With Yourself," "How To Live With Your Community," "How To Live With God," and, "Boy and Girl Relationships."

The slogan of the club is —"I will try to face life squarely and to find and give the best."



#### TRI-HI-Y CLUB

#### OFFICERS

DOROTHY TRUSTY\_\_\_\_\_President VIVIAN BAILEY\_\_\_\_Secretary

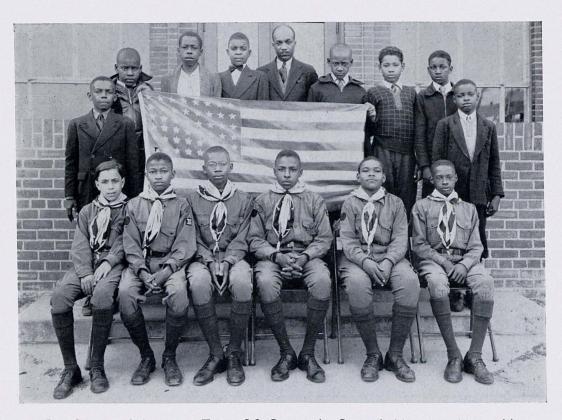
MARIE BINNS\_\_\_\_\_Vice-President WILLIE MITCHELL\_\_Ass't. Secretary

LENNIE SMITH, Treasurer

MISS V. C. KENNEY, and MRS. E. B. WILSON, Sponsors

The object of the Tri-Hi-Y Club is to maintain throughout the community high standards of Christian character.

The Club has had a very busy year. For their initial program the group presented a Hallowe'en play entitled "Two Ghosts in White." Later a food sale and dance were given to raise funds with which to furnish the girls' club room. In March the girls entertained the mothers of its members at a Mother and Daughter Tea. At the present time the Tri-Hi-Y Club is conducting a series of Bible Study lessons. Miss Estelle Thomas, Associate Dean of Women at Hampton Institute discussed "Making Friends" on one of our programs. As a final activity for the year, the club plans to help entertain the Girls' Conference which meets in Newport News on the 6th of May.



Boy Scouts of America, Troop 36, Peninsula Council, Newport News, Va.

Top row left to right: Elmer Gray, William Lassiter, Robert Fox, John Cottrel, Mr. W. C. Nelson, scoutmaster, Veerland Thompson, Clarence Jones, Garnett Kirby, Lawrence Birchette.

Bottom row, left to right: Augustus Palmer, James Baylor, Gilbert Cobb, Julius King, Eldridge Willis, William Birchette.

Sponsoring Institution\_\_\_\_\_HUNTINGTON HIGH SCHOOL Head of Sponsoring Institution\_\_\_\_\_MR. L. F. PALMER Troop Committee: MR. W. H. ROBINSON, MR. G. WESLEY RANEY, MR. L. F. PALMER, Chairman

Scoutmaster	MR. WILLIAM C. NELSON
Assistant Scoutmaster	MR. CLARENCE JOHNSON
Acting Senior Patrol Leader	AUGUSTUS PALMER
Troop Scribes	WILLIAM BIRCHETTE, JAMES BAYLOR
Troop Treasurer	GILBERT COBB
Troop Meeting Place	Room 207, High School Building

### **PATROLS**

Flying Eagles Tigers I Tigers II



#### SCIENCE CLUB

President	VERGIL BELL	Vice-PresidentGALVESTON DAVIS
Secretary	_ALLEN HUBBARD	TreasurerROYLAND SILER
	Sponsor	_MR. H. L. HINES

The Science Club was among the first clubs to be organized in our school. The program of the club is flexible and designed especially for high school students who are interested in science and who wish to pursue some phase of science as a hobby or a vocation. Individual projects and general programs are engaged in during the club period. During two of the regular monthly meetings the members carry on interesting discussions on current events of scientific import. The other two meetings are given over to performing experiments of practical and cultural nature. These experiments include the preparation of soaps, talcum powders, mirrors, dyes, hair tonics, and many other useful products.

The club made several field trips, one being a trip to the Mariners Museum located near Morrison, and observed many things of scientific interest.



#### JUNIOR RED CROSS

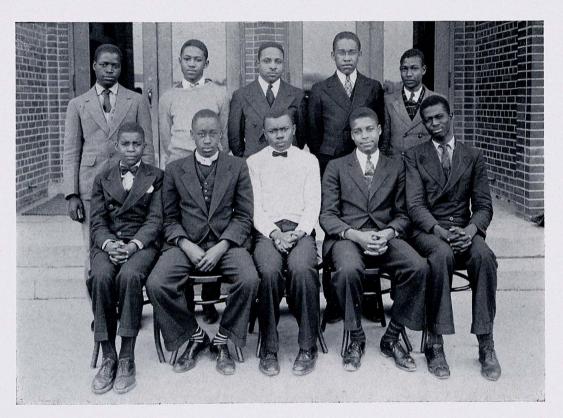
#### **OFFICERS**

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ALMA WIGGINS	Secretary	MISS A

GLADYS GOODWIN\_\_\_Ass't Secretary LOUISE HARRINGTON\_\_\_\_Treasurer MISS ALMA J. WILSON\_\_\_\_Sponsor

The Junior Red Cross was organized for the purpose of developing in young women high standards of moral, ethical, and religious character.

The members of the club have succeeded in making a practical application of their motto, "Love and Service," by collecting food, clothing, and toys for the Weaver Orphan Home children. During the second semester the girls took their turn in presenting an assembly program.



### MOTOR TRAFFIC CLUB

#### OFFICERS

President	GEORGE	GILLIAM	Ass't Secretary	EDGAR	HOLT
		POWELL	Treasurer	JAMES	PAGE
Secretary	WILLIAM	RUFFIN	Sponsor	MR. C. C. JOH	INSON

Due to the rapid increase in the number of automobiles and other vehicles the motor traffic world faces many problems. Outstanding among these is the problem of automobile accidents, having the almost unbelievable death toll of approximately 40,000 persons in 1938, and personal injuries numbering in the millions.

Statistics show that the young drivers of high school and college age have by far a worse record than the older drivers. Some of the aims of the club are to learn how the automobile is run, assist the members in securing drivers' permits, and to develop proper attitudes of responsibility, sportsmanship, and courtesy on the highway.



### MODERN PRISCILLA CLUB

#### OFFICERS

PresidentMARY McCALLUM	Ass't. SecretaryLUCILLE IRISON
Vice-PresidentLOIS WILKINS	TreasurerMISS V. E. JOYNER
SecretaryLUCILLE HALL	ReporterCATHERINE ARTIS

#### **SPONSOR**

### MISS V. E. JOYNER

The aims of the Modern Priscilla Club are to develop professional spirit and cooperation among the members, to inform the girls of opportunities offered in the field of home economics, and to develop personality.

The club was responsible for an assembly program. A playlet, "Becky Calico" comprised the first part of the presentation. A fashion parade depicting correct apparel for various occasions, concluded the program.



### THE DRAMATIC CLUB

#### OFFICERS

ELIZABETH FULWILDER\_President
THELMA ROWLETTE\_ Vice-President
MARGARET KNIGHT\_\_\_\_ Secretary

HELEN WATSON\_\_\_\_Ass't Secretary
MISS L. K. FRAZIER\_\_\_\_Treasurer
MISS L. K. FRAZIER\_\_\_\_Sponsor

The Dramatic Club at Huntington High School was organized for the purpose of creating an interest in good plays and developing available dramatic talent by giving students practice in acting.

The organization has had a very successful year. On March 25th and 28th the club presented in the Booker T. Washington School Auditorium three one-act plays entitled "The Window" by James Reach, "Death Takes A Bribe" by Ronald Else, and "The Gay Nineties" by Florence Ryerson and Colin Clements.

This year for the first time the club entered the State Dramatic Contest held at Virginia State College on the first of April. Although the presentation of "The Window" did not win for the players any special honors, the cast and the coach were commended for doing a splendid job.



#### SOCIAL HOUR CLUB

#### OFFICERS

President\_\_\_\_MOZELLE MOORE Vice-President\_\_\_\_HAYES TRAVIS
Secretary\_\_\_\_ADA PALMER Ass't. Secretary\_\_\_LUTHER TUCKER
Treasurer\_\_\_\_\_RUTH CLARK

#### Sponsor — MISS ELIZABETH SPIVEY

The purpose of the Social Hour Club is to enlighten the students on some of the very important points to be considered in Correct Dress, Do's and Don'ts for Social Occasions, and other phases of etiquette. The club has given several socials for the purpose of putting into practice some of the things most helpful to us. We have gained helpful information in proper preparation and serving of food and correct table manners.



### MUSIC APPRECIATION CLUB

#### OFFICERS

President \_\_\_\_\_NAOMI LITTLE Secretary \_\_\_\_THELMA HEWLIN Treasurer\_CELESTINE FAUNTLEROY

SPONSOR MR. J. J. BALLOU

#### OFFICERS

The purpose of the Music Appreciation Club is to cultivate appreciation for classical, semi-classical and other high types of music.

On March 9, 1938, a student from Hampton Institute, gave us a demonstration of a story in the form of a "suite" and of a "ballet."

On Christmas Eve, 1937, the club went caroling throughout the city.



#### HUNTINGTON HIGH SCHOOL CHORUS

#### OFFICERS

NAOMI LITTLEPresiden	t George Davis	Treasurer
ADA PALMERVice-Presiden	t ALPHONSO ALEXANDRIA	Librarian
CLEOPATRA SWAN Secretar;	EDWARD WEST Serg	eant-at-Arms
SAMUEL RUFFINAssistant Secretary	RIDDICK PREE	Reporter

THE Chorus of Huntington High School is one of the most popular organizations in the school. The purpose of the club is to create a deeper interest in, and a keener appreciation for, the finer types of music, and to develop available musical talent.

During the past year the chorus under the capable directorship of Mr. Mozart Frazer, has made a number of worthwhile presentations, the most outstanding being the Spring Concert and participation in the Music Festival which was held in Virginia State College. In addition to these the group has furnished music for the school assembly programs, community church programs, and the Vesper Services.

On no occasion did this group appear to better advantage than during its renditions at the Sunday Vespers. These model services, one hour in length, presented a group of hymnals by the chorus and a sermonette by one of the local pastors. This year, four of these hours of worship were held and, despite of the fact that the undertaking was new, they were fairly well attended. We feel assured of the fact that, this success has been in no small measure due to the enjoyable singing of our chorus.

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#### HUNTINGTON HIGH SCHOOL BAND

#### OFFICERS

PresidentNAOMI LITTLE	Ass't SecretaryCLARA GAFFNEY
Vice-PresidentJAMES CRADLE	TreasurerRICHARD BUIE
SecretaryGENEVA TAYLOR	LibrarianLANDIS GAFFNEY
Director	J. J. BALLOU

The Huntington High School Band, composed this year of forty pieces, has achieved a new high in musical advancement. In spite of its lack of proper instrumentation the band has made outstanding progress.

It aims to create, extend, and maintain throughout the school and community a greater appreciation for high types of music. Though it will be greatly crippled by the graduation of some of its star bandsmen, the band will strive to carry on as it has done for the past years. Among the outstanding achievements this organization made are its brilliant performance when it appeared in the Spring Concert, the fine musicianship displayed in Smithfield, and its exceptional playing at the Music Festival at Virginia State College.



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The Library Club of Huntington High School aims to create an appreciation for good books and to train students to be assistant librarians.

During the year this organization has succeeded in adding to the Library's collection a large number of fiction books and two sets of encyclopedias. In order to raise money for this project, the members of the group gave a dance and a program. In addition they solicited contributions from members of the community. This year a large number of old books have received new bindings as a result of the efforts of this club.



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On November 4, 1937, the National Honor Society of Huntington High School was organized.

The purpose of the organization is to lead by the light of the ideals which the national society has set forth, and to serve the school by fostering and encouraging high ideals and superior scholarship.

One of the accomplishments for the year was the presentation of a program consisting of reviews of outstanding books, talks on etiquette, and guidance reports on the various colleges and the courses offered by such schools.

The following students are members of the organization: Alphonso Alexander, Catherine Artis, Florence Bailey, Mildred Birchette, Eugenia Boney, Ruth Bouldin, Rosa Charity, Juanita Davis, Charles Fountain, Lutrelle Palmer, Riddick Pree, Andrew Southerland, Susie Thaxton, Phillip Walker.



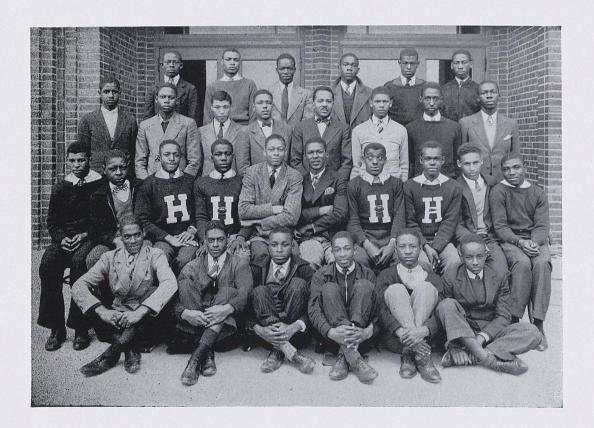
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JOURNALISM CLASS

The Journalism Class is responsible for the monthly publication of "The Huntington Mirror." By publishing the paper, the students are given an opportunity to write and speak the English language purposefully.

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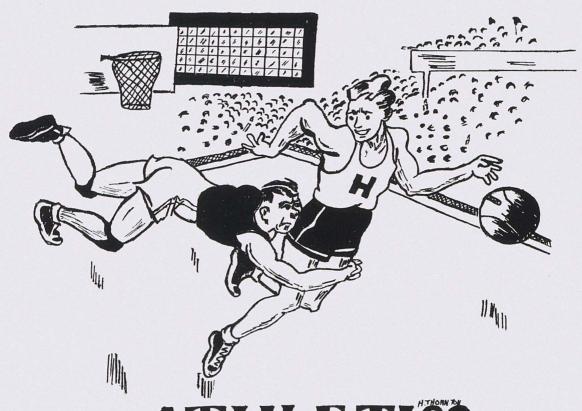
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The principal object of the Varsity Club is to develop an appreciation for athletic games and to encourage young men to participate in sports.

Under Coach Howe's able leadership, the club has increased greatly in membership during the past year. Persons who are outstanding in some sport, or those who are greatly interested in athletics may become members.



ATHLE TICS

# Dedication of New Athletic Field

One of the most outstanding events of the year was the dedication of the Huntington's new athletic field. The students assembled in the gymnasium and proceeded in march formation on the athletic field. The school band led the student body around the field in several drill formations, coming to a halt in front of the bleachers, where the speakers and guests were seated.

The program opened with songs, "The Battle Hymn of the Republic," and "My Country 'Tis of Thee," followed by a prayer by Rev. J. B. Henderson

The first speaker was our principal, Mr. L. F. Palmer, who paid fitting tribute to the city and school board officials and to the shipyard authorities for their help in making the field possible. At the conclusion of his speech, he introduced Attorney J. Thomas Newsome, the principal speaker for the occasion. The main theme of Attorney Newsome's address was the importance of fair play in all phases of life.

A thrilling football game followed the dedicatory program. Huntington met and defeated Van De Vyver High School of Richmond by a score of 25-6.

## Football Team

The first Blue and White team to defend Huntington's honor on the gridiron met and tied the Booker T. Washington High School of Norfolk, Virginia, in the year of 1920. For the next three years Huntington remained undefeated and unscored on and was State Champion. It is a little known fact that our first championship team was coached by Professor L. F. Palmer, our principal. In 1925 the program for the football team was expanded to include on its schedule such distant teams as, Armstrong Technical High School of Washington, D. C., Dunbar of Lynchburg, Addison of Roanoke, and Douglass of Baltimore. Throughout its long history of football, the records show that our teams have an edge in victories over the teams who have opposed us on the gridiron.

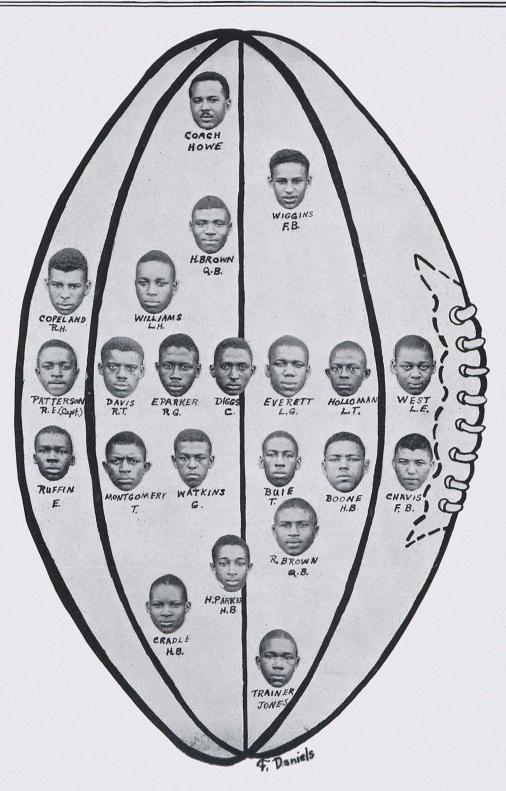
Even the briefest history of Huntington's football team would be incomplete without reference to two factors which have done most to color its career. The first is the late W. A. Thomas, for thirteen years our beloved coach and friend, to whose memory we now pause to pay respectful tribute. The other is the annual feud of sixteen years standing with Union (now Phenix) High of Hampton, over whom our victory of last year gave us a one-game lead.

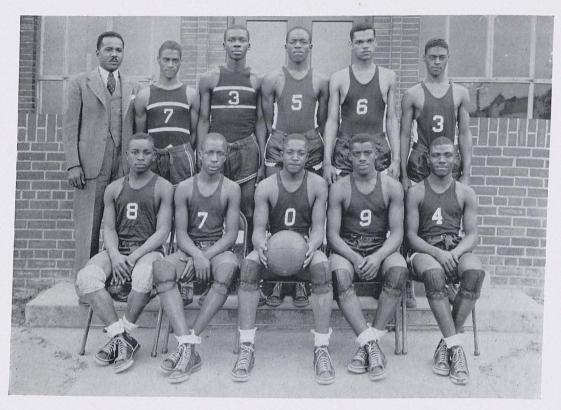
This year marked a new era in football at Huntington. The acquisition of a concrete-inclosed athletic field together with locker rooms and showers has done much to put football on a much higher level from the standpoint of health as well as convenience. The crowning feature of the 'New Era' was the good fortune which fell to our lot in the person of our new coach, Mr. Stephen E. Howe. Under his tutelage our team showed commendable form on the court this year.

The 1938 edition will be without such stellar performers as Homer Brown, John Patterson, and George Davis. Although they will be sorely missed; it looks like a State Championship for a Howe-coached team next year.

#### SCHEDULE — FOOTBALL GAMES 1937

Huntington	14	Norcom 13	
Huntington	25	Van De Vyver	
Huntington	19	Booker T. Washington (Suffolk)	
Huntington	7	Armtsrong (	
Huntington	0	Peabody	
Huntington	6	Phenix (	
HUNTINGTON	$\frac{-}{71}$	VISITORS 25	





#### THE BASKETBALL TEAM

Huntington High School was among the first Virginia High Schools to adopt basketball as a regular winter sport. Starting back in 1921 with an outdoor court on which to practice, our teams have since made unforgettable history on the court. Until the first State Tournament held at Virginia State College in 1928, the Blue and White quintets recorded net victories over the years in series with all of the scholastic fives in the state. In 1930 Huntington won the State Championship in Virginia State Tournament. For succeeding years, and until 1931. Huntington was runner-up to the State Champions with the exception of one year. It is fitting that our final lines in this, first chapter of Huntington's basketball career, be written as an expression of appreciation to the memory of the men who guided these teams to their outstanding victories, our beloved coach, the late W. A. Thomas.

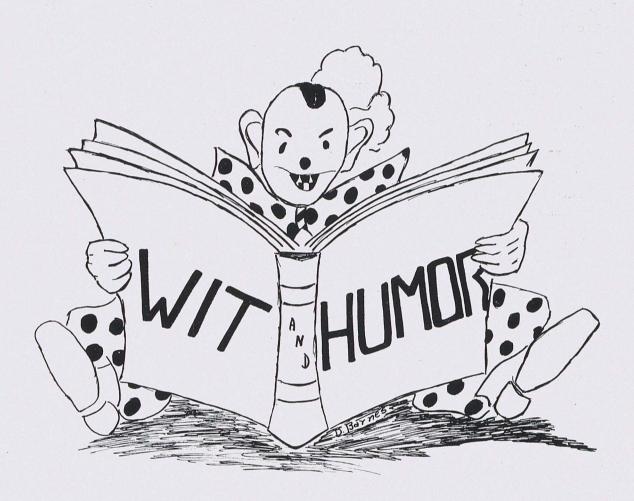
The history of basketball at Huntington divides itself naturally into two chapters. From 1920 to 1931 marks one period. From 1931 to 1936 when the Y. M. C. A. Gymnasium was not available for practice, basketball was left out of our athletic program. In 1936 we moved to our new home on Orcutt Avenue and here started our career anew in the m modern gymnasium provided for the

community and school by the Newport News Shipbuildin gand Drydock Company. This, incidentally, is the first regular court which we have been able to call our own. In the short two years that we have been represented on the court, our teams have made phenomenal strides. In the Sectional Tournament, which was held at Huntington this year our team played Phenix in the finals and advanced to the quarter-finals in the State Tournament. Finis to the second chapter may appropriately be written with a decidedly bright outlook.

SCHEDULE—1937-1938

#### BASKETBALL GAMES

2721	,	THE GILLIAN	
Huntington	21	Smithfield	20
Huntington	47	Sunbury	7
Huntington	39	Peabody	21
Huntington	26	Alumni	28
Huntington	25	Smithfield	29
Huntington	29	Phenix	40
Huntington	17	Phenix	31
Huntington	. 34	Peabody	10
Huntington	34	Van De Vyver	42
Huntington	54	James City	26
Huntington	17	James City	19
HUNTINGTON	343	VISITORS	273
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## Wit and Humor

Mabel King-Oh, John, will you love me when I'm old and gray?

John Patterson—Sure, dear, I shan't be young and handsome always myself, you know.

Banks—What time does the train come in? Cradle—5:55, I tell you for the fifth time.

Banks--Yes, I know; but I just like to see your nose wobble when you say "5:55:"

Naomi—What time is it? Carnell—Twenty after three.

Naomi—Reckon those twentys will catch those threes?

Marjorie—(Answering phone) Hello! Mr. Palmer—Hello! How are you today? Marjorie—Fine!

Mr. Palmer-Then why aren't you in school?

Miss Gould—Cradle, name a Negro spiritual. Cradle—"Trees."

Mr. Johnson—Leroy, why is a frog never without money?

Mr. Hines—Because he always has a green back.

Sam-Allen, what is a nun? Hubbard-A lady monk.

During an experiment in chemistry, all equipment was passed around and then Mr. Hines gave out the ferrous sulphide. "Red" Willis, chemistry ace, without consulting his book to find out the use of this chemical, asked: "What shall I do with this, Mr. Hines?" In a calm and aggravated tone Mr. Hines answered, "Eat it, Mr. Willis."

T. Rowlette (visiting at Dunbar)—Pardon me, but your're reading with your book upside down.
Primary student—What good is an education if

you can't read both ways?

In baking a cake Ada Palmer decided that the batter was too stiff. Too thin if she added hot water. "What's wrong with the batter, Ada?"

asked Miss Spivey. With a giggle she answered, "Oh, nothing. It's just a little warm from beating?"

We wonder why John Patterson stays so mixed up on his athletic seasons. On the football field he'd try to dribbble the ball. On the basketball court he'd run with it. "Maybe it's the pig in him," says the coach.

Mr. Howe was explaining a new play to his team. In questioning the boys to find out if they understood everything he asked an unlucky star by the name of "Chavis" if he knew the play. "What play, Phenix Play?" asked the bewildered, fallen hero.

Boy—(To cafeteria attendant) Please give me a piece of Washington pie.

Cafeteria Girl—(Handing him a piece of chocolate covered pie)—Here you are.

Same Boy—But I want George Washnigton pie, not Booker T. Washington.

Teacher—(To class studying King Arthur)— Who was the bravest, most worthy Knight? Rufus—"Kid Galahad."

Silas—Why are you wearing your glasses to bed?

Lutrelle—"I want to get a better look at that girl I dreamed about last night."

Student—I don't think I should get "E" in this exam.

Teacher—Neither do I, but it is the lowest mark we give.

"What is wrong with this sentence, children?" asked Miss Pannell. "The horse and the cow is in the lot."

Scott spoke up: "The cow and the horse is in the lot."

"Why do you correct it that way, Scott?"

"The lady should be mentioned first," said Scott.

## Wit and Humor

"Can you give me any well-known date in Roman history?" asked Miss Wilson.

"I can, Miss Wilson," said Eunice. "Antony's with Cleopatra."

Prof. Hines—In what three states does water exist? Lee Banks—New York, Virginia, and Delaware.

Naomi—Cornell, you're not as dumb as I thought you were.

Cornell-No?

Naomi-You're dumber.

Prof. Johnson-What is the backbone?

Parker (M. M.)—The backbone is something that runs up and down your back so that you won't be arms down to your feet, and legs up to your head.

Prof.—What does this formula CH2O you have on your paper mean?

Cradle-Sea water.

Mr. Jones—Some diseases are contagious. Now take yellow fever—.

Class- You take it, we don't want it.

Mrs. Wilson—"You have all been very mischievous to-day, and you will have to remain in after hours."

A boy's voice came from the back of the room, "Give me liberty or give me death!"

Mrs. Wilson looked up quickly. "Who said that?" she demanded. And the same voice replied: "Patrick Henry."

A certain professor, leaving his home, bumped into a cow that had strayed into the road. "Oh, pardon me, madam!" said the professor, raising his hat.

Then he began his walk along the road, and was deep in thought when he bumped against a lady coming in the opposite direction. "You here again, you brute!" he exclaimed.

LOST-PLEASE RETURN TO

A lesson at Tuttle's-James Cradle, Silas Binns.

Three giggles—Ada Palmer, Corrine Jackson, Majorie Edwards.

A sandwich-Mozelle Moore, Mildred Copeland.

Two arguments--Myetta Rooks and Andrew Canaday.

A blank check-Lutrelle Palmer.

Dignity-Winnie Drake, Majorie Edwards.

Nothing in particular—Ella Bates and Allen Hubbard.

An alarm clark—Ada Palmer and William Chavis.

A permanent wave—Cleola Jones and Annie Southerland.

Two hearts-Thelma Ricks and Lela Chavis.

One golden hour—Corrine Jackson and Thelma Rowlette.

A chance to go—Elizabeth Fulwilder and Thelma Porter.

A good time-Mable King and Eunice Smith.

Two "misplaced eyebrows"—Theresa Holloman.

A dance-Raymond Johnson.

A dream—Gladys Manley and Ernestine Holloman.

A game-George Davis and George Seaborn.

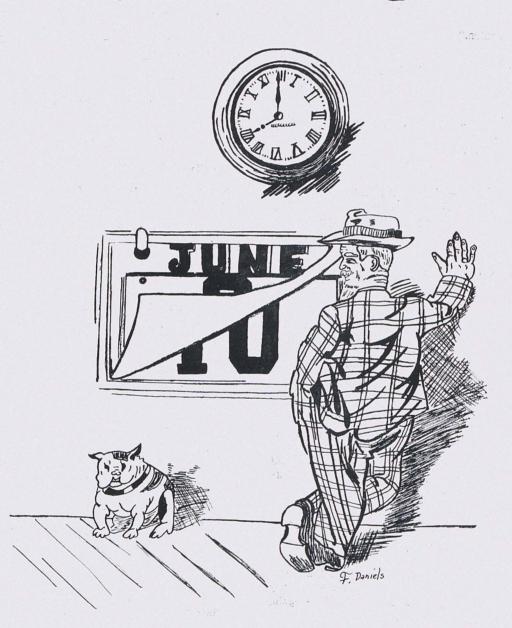
A word-David Cradle and Lee Banks.

A unique class--Miss Wilson.

Three pests—Alonzo Normant, Theodore Patterson, and Robert Jones.

Class Critic-Beulah Rattley.

# CALENDAR



## School Calendar

September 9-School opened.

September 14-Student Council organized.

September 15—Clubs organized throughout the school.

September 23—Student Council gave program in assembly.

September 24—The Hi-Y Club presented Prof. T. R. Thompson in assembly.

October 4—The school observed Fire Prevention Week.

October 7—Mr. P. B. Young presented to student body by Journalism Class.

October 11-Activities Ticket Contest began.

October 15—Huntington Shipbuilders down Van De Vyver High.

October 15-New High School Stadium dedicated.

October 21—Choral Club gave program in assembly.

October 22—Huntington football team victors over Booker T. Washington.

October 25—Activities Ticket Contest closed. Mr. Robinson's Freshman Class won first place.

October 28—The play, "Two Ghosts in White," given by Tri-Hi-Y Club.

October 28-30—Girl Reserve and Hi-Y members attended Conference at St. Paul.

November 4—Induction Service for members of National Honor Society.

November 5-Huntington host to Hinton, the magician.

November 5—Huntington vs. Peabody—Football game.

November 11—Armistice Day Program.

November 13—Huntington vs. Providence—Football game.

November 18—Library Club presented Mr. George A. Kuyper to student body.

November 20—Huntington defeated Phenix in football game.

November 24—Freshman Class gave Thanksgiving program.

January 11-Basketball season opened.

January 15—The Junior Red Cross presented play, "Martha Dixon's Parlor,"

January 25—Huntington-Sunbury basketball game.

January 25—Music Battle sponsored by Band and Orchestra.

January 10—Boy Scouts gave assembly program.

January 12-Negro History Week observed.

January 14—Art Club organized in Huntington.

January 16—Huntington vs. Smithfield—Basketball game.

January 17—School entertained by Logan, the magician.

January 18—Modern Glee Club of Virginia State College gave concert.

January 22—Band gave concert at Smithfield.

March 3—Phenix-Huntington Joint Musical Recital.

March 4—Sectional Basketball Tournament at Huntington.

March 16-17—Clemen's Marionette Show.

March 18—Modern Priscilla Club gave fashion review and playlet.

March 19—Huntington High vs. CCC Camp Brandywine—Last basketball game of the season.

March 24—Science Club presented health program in assembly.

March 25—High School Plays: "The Window,"
"Gay Nineties," and "Death Takes a
Bribe."

March 31—Vocational and Educational Clinic at Huntington.

April 1-Huntington High School Carnival.

April 4-Program by Hubert, the magician.

April 14—One-act play presented in assembly by the Dramatic Club.

April 14-Spring Concert.

April 21—Debate—Social Problems and Civics Classes.

April 28—The Social Hour Club program—"The Proper Thing."

May 5—The Social Hour Club's Reception to student body.

May 20-The Junior-Senior Prom.

June 8-Class Night.

June 10-Commencement Day.

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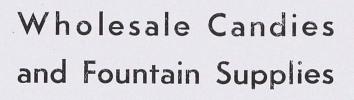
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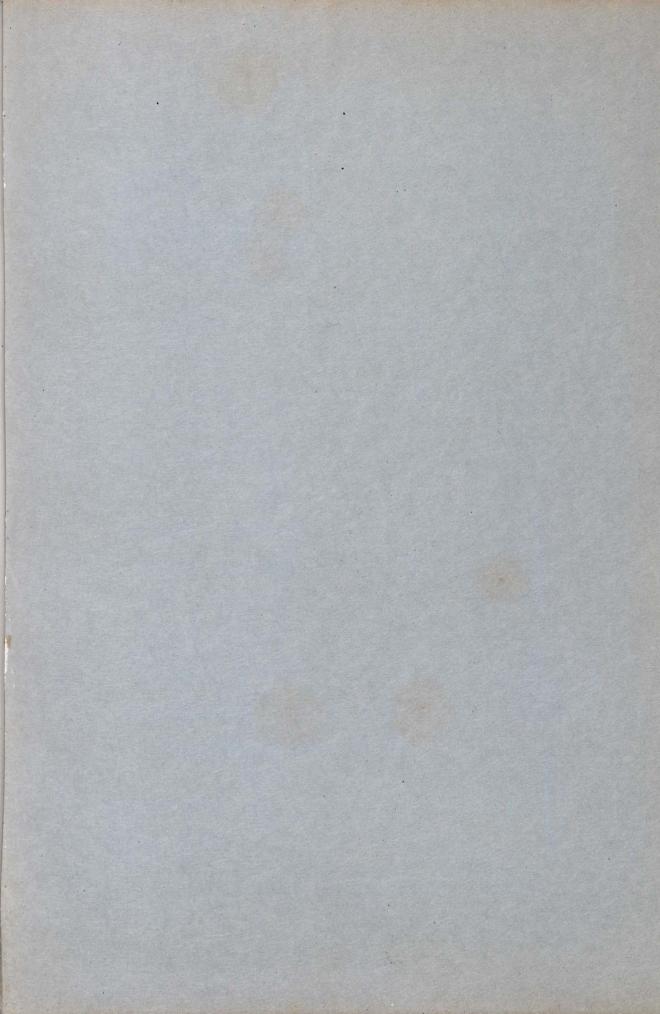
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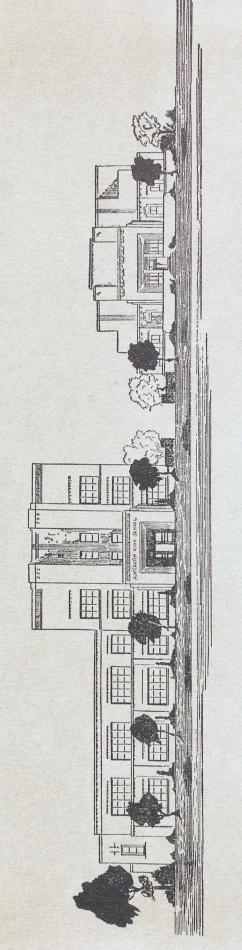
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